**Regular Board Meeting Minutes** 1 **Cache Valley Transit District** 2 Wednesday, February 24, 2016 3 5:45 pm 4 **Bridgerland Applied Technology College** 5 1301 North 600 West, Logan, Utah 6 **Room 840** 7 8 9 Present: Erik Ashcroft, Alma Leonhardt, Rodger Pond, Joy Reyes, Holly Broome-Hyer, Shaun Bushman, Norman Larsen, Patricia Cronin, Doug Thompson, Tom Hogan, Roger 10 Jones, Jeannie Simmonds, and Craig Wright 11 12 Excused: Ron Hornsby, Sue Sorenson, Glen Schmidt, Heidi Harper, Ron Natali, and 13 Sallie Petersen 14 15 16 Others: Todd Beutler, Nathan Coats, and Ivy Thomson 17 18 **Regular Meeting Agenda** 19 20 1. Call to order: Board Vice Chair Roger Jones. Roger asked the audience to introduce themselves. 21 22 23 2. Acceptance of Minutes: Alma Leonhardt moved to approve the January minutes. The motion was seconded by Holly Broome-Hyer. The vote was unanimous. 24 25 3. Approval of Agenda: Tom Hogan moved the approval of agenda and Craig Wright 26 seconded. The vote was unanimous. 27 28 4. Next Board Meeting: March 23rd, 2016 at 5:45 pm. 29 30 5. Questions and Comments for Management and Board (3 minutes or less): 31 A. Annette Francis from Wellsville. She has lived there for a year. In Hyrum, she 32 33 knew a young single mom with MS who kept her independence, and that of her children, by using the bus. Annette hopes to help LTD come to Wellsville to help 34 others with their independence. She'd like to do whatever possible to get CVTD 35 on the ballot in Wellsville this Fall. 36 37 B. Rock Davidson from Wellsville. His son is intellectually handicapped and does not have a drivers license. While in Logan he used the bus, but now they need to 38 chauffer him. The bus would be a great service to the people in Wellsville. 39 C. Kaylene Ames from Wellsville. Eight years ago she was involved with a route 40

addition to Wellsville, and has decided to help her friends with the process. She

is with the Wellsville Foundation.

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- D. Management explained the process of providing services throughout the valley. In the upcoming Short-Range Transit Plan, management and the Board will learn about needed services, costs required, best solutions, and available funding. Management recommended that the Board find out what demands are present so the Board can make fact-based decisions.
  - E. Discussion ensued about studying service needs and Wellsville's ballot timeline. Doug Thompson came in during discussion, and suggested that Management should engage in informal discussions with Wellsville. Management will come back next month and let the Board know where they are at.
- F. Representative Ed Redd is running a bill so that [small] special districts are not required to have an internal auditor on staff. It does not take away power from Board to require an internal audit, it just makes it so it is not a requirement.

## **Board Business**

- 6. Compensation consultant recommendation: Todd reported on the procurement process, which was authorized by the Board, and presented the scoring cards for the compensation bidders to the Board. The selection committee felt it was important the consultant come to the Board in person. The lowest cost bid was no less effective than the others. Based on the scoring, the selection committee recommends HRCC. Questions were answered. Craig Wright motioned to form a subcommittee to go over the bidders. Jeannie Simmonds seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. Ivy will set up a meeting for Tom, Jeannie, Erik, Craig, Norman, and Doug.
- 7. Oversight Committee report: Oversight invited Craig Wright and Ron Natali to become expert in governance vs management. Shaun Bushman will become expert in Robert's Rules of Order of parliamentary procedure. Holly will go with staff and the Utah Delegation to an annual meeting in D.C. The Board received the Internal Review reports in their packets, and are asked to take the reviews to their elected officials.

## 8. General Manager Report

- A. Management reviewed the Short Range Transit Plan (SRTP) process. This SRTP will focus on public outreach. The Board will rank the priorities of different service needs. Questions were answered. Doug asked the Board to review the last SRTP. Todd requested Board members to speak with their elected officials within the next two weeks, and find out what local needs they want addressed.
- B. New Board members are required to undergo training. Management will email the new Board members the online link to the training. Once the Board members get their certificate, they are asked to email it to Todd to record.
- C. Management met with UTA's internal auditor and drafted a scope of work. Management will get with the internal audit committee to review it.

9. Other Considerations:
None.
10. Adjourn:
Doug Thompson adjourned the meeting.